



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

JAMES J. HARRISON ET AL.

Serial No. 10/006,817

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For:

POLYMERIC DISPERSANTS

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COPOLYMERS OF LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYISOBUTENE AND UNSATURATED ACIDIC

REAGENT

**GROUP ART UNIT 1764** 

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## **RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully respond to the Examiner's Non-Final Rejection which was mailed March 24, 2004, for which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set. Filed concurrently herewith are a Request for Extension of Time and appropriate fees extending the period for response by one month to July 24, 2004.

I hereby certify that I have a reasonable basis for believing that this correspondence will be deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

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## Introductory Comments

Applicants respectfully respond to the Examiner's Non-Final Rejection.